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HOPE DIAMOND. FAMOUS "HOODOO," **BUSY ONCE MORE**

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Mc-Lean, Latest Owners, Sued by Jewelers.

WHOLE SUM OF \$180,000 ASKED

Cartiers Allege That No Part of Payment for Jewel Has Been Made.

True to its international reputa-"hoodoo," bringing misfortune and trouble to its owners. day giving its first grief to its present possessors, Edward B. McLean, son of John R. McLean, and his wife, Mrs. Evelyn W. McLean, heir-

Suit to recover \$180,000, the alleged purchase price of the great which once graced the crown of Marie Antoinette, was filed against Mr. and Mrs. McLean by Louis C. Cartier and Pierre C. Cartier, jewelers of New York and Paris, trading under the name of

Deny Any Payment.

That Mr. and Mrs. McLean have the diamond, and have falled to pay I cent for the jewel, as they agreed, is declared by the jewelers, who are represented by Attorneys Brandenburg & Brandenburg and Clarence W. De

An initial payment of \$40,000 cash is the first default charged to Mr. and Mrs. McLean in their bargain for the mammoth piece of dazzling carbon. Atthough they have had the diamond necksince January 28, it is declared

Three counts are made in the suit, in which it is alleged that the default of Mr. and Mrs. McLean to pay for the gem, as they agreed, has caused the entire purchase-price of \$180,000 to become due and payable immediately. In addition to the first cash payment of \$40,000, and the trade of Mrs. Mc-Lean's \$26,000 pendant, it is alleged that the balance of \$114,000 was to be paid

in certain installments.

It is set forth that both the first payment of \$40,000 and delivery of Mrs. Mc-Lean's jewelry as part payment, were

Lean's jewelry as part payment, were be made January 28, upon the delivery to them of the "Hope" jewels.

No cause for the alleged repudiation of their contract to buy the "Hope" necklace by the McLeans is recited in the petition of the jewelers. As junior member of the firm, Plerre C. Cartier members with the petition in court, an presents, with the nettion in court, an affidavit reciting that he personally conducted the negotiations with Mr. and Mrs. McLean. He says he delivered the valuable jewel in person.

Mrs. Melber Shows the Effects of Trial Strain

ALPANY, N. Y., March 8.-Pale and plainly nervous, Mrs. Edith Melber, on trial for the murder of her five-year-old son, George, showed today that the strain of her ordeal is telling on her. She had to be supported into the court-room, and sank heavily into her seat, paying little attention to her lawyers or

get the additional five. There was another rush of women to the courtroom today.

Call to Life-Savers For Manchurian Crew

PORTSMOUTH, Va., March 8.-A call for aid from three other life-saving stations was sent out this afternoon from the crew at Little Island, in hope that the men aboard the stranded Brkish freight steamer, Manchurian may
be saved by use of the breeches buoy.
The steamer, which went aground
yesterday, was hurled much nearer
shore by the glant seas during the
night, and at noon today a line was
shot aboard her with a Lyle gun. The
crew made it known that they expected
her to go to pieces any moment.
The sterm, which became one of the
worst of the season today, was sending that the men aboard the stranded Brit-The storm, which recame one of the would prevent the men from going worst of the season today, was sending aboard the sleepers until 4:30 o'clock at the waves over the steamer, and her position was perilous. It was not believed this afternoon that she could were preparing to entrain members of

WEATHER REPORT.

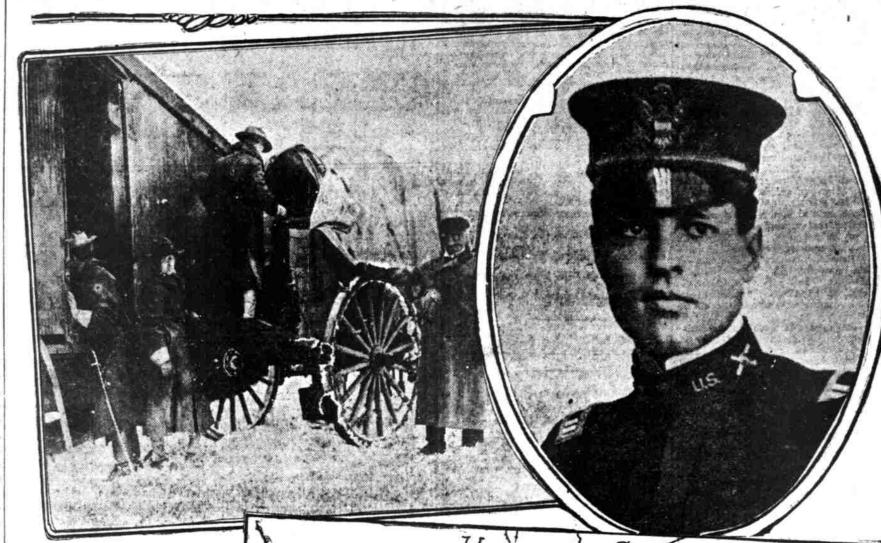
FORECAST FOR THE DISTRICT Fair tonight and probably Thursday; lowly rising temperatures Thursday;

TEMPERATURES. TIDE TABLE.

Today—High tide, 1:30 a. m. and 2:05 p. m. Low tide, 7:53 a. m. and 9:05 p. m. Tomorrow—High tide, 2:40 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Low tide, 9:05 a. m. and 10:15

SUN TABLE Bun rises..... 6:23 | Sun sets..... 6:00

Shipping Baggage of Ft. Myer Troops, Their Commander, and Map of Mobilization



ONE ACCIDENT MARS

Horse on Pennsylvania Avenue.

Three batteries of field artillery, D, E, and F, of the Third, which have been stationed at Fort Myer, Va., lef that post today for the Texas-Mexico commanded by Capt. Brooke Payne, of Battery E, who acted as major. Bat-teries E, and F entrained and loaded and Mrs. McLean have fulled to deliver an emerald and pearl pendant, owned by Mrs. McLean, and said to be worth war at the Pennsylvania termina manded by Capt. Willard Newbill, marched from the army post into Washcounts are made in the suit, in ington and to the southwest freight is alleged that the default of varies on Virginia avenue by way of yards on Virginia avenue by way of

life, ran to the middle of the street, grasped the plunging animal by the bridle and brought him to a stop.

Ready for Start.

Hogan was taken to the Emergency Hospital. Unless he has suffered internal injuries, which is not thought cobable, he will leave this afternoon at

Work of Loading.

Lieutenant Miles continued in charge of loading provisions and provender, Seagrave, of Battery E, saw to the cars. These were in place and blocked down by 11:30. By that time the stock

It was expected that the work of cleaning up the odds and ends and completion of the loading of supplies would prevent the men from going aboard the sleepers until 4:30 o'clock at the earliest.

While the troops from Fort Myer were preparing to entrain members of the Coast Artillery, the 44th, the 133d and the 119th, stationed at Fort Washington, Md., and at Fort Hunt, Va., in the Artillery District of the Potomac, were making hurried preparations to leave for Mexico tomorrow night. The orders for these troops to leave for the scene of the "maneuvers" was unexscene of the "maneuvers" was unexpected. They were received by the commanding officer today. They will be the last troops here to leave for the Church. It took him fifteen minutes to the commanding officer today to the commanding officer today. They will be torship of the Fifth Avenue Baptist the last troops here to leave for the Church. It took him fifteen minutes to the commanding of t

Texas border.

Because of the lack of transportation facilities on the Potomac river, it will be impossible for these troops to get away for their Southern destination be-

Amelia Bingham Buys the

Joseph Jefferson Home

MEW YORK, March 8.—Amelia Bing
NEW YORK, March 8.—Amelia Bing
Church of San Francisco next week.

TROOPS' DEPARTURE

Artilleryman Trampled by

that they have failed to pay the first border line. The three batteries were This costly jewel was to be taken in yard at Roslyn, Va. Battery D. part payment for the "Hope" diumond manded by Capt. Willard Ne necklace at that value, it is declared marched from the army post into V

Pennsylvania avenue. A runaway, in which William Hogan, of Battery D, was thrown from his horse and painfully injured by being dragged 100 yards hanging to the stirrup, was the single accident to mar the leaving of the troops stationed around the District. Hogan was among the Announcement Made Today Ruling on Cases of Those New rear guard of the last piece of battery. As he rode past the Willard Hotel his horse reared and he was thrown to the ground, with his left leg in the stirrup. Policeman Wittstatt, at the risk of his

the Rosiyn railroad yards, no less a personage than Lieut, Gen. Nelson A. Miles superintended, unofficially, the entrainment. His son, Lleut, Sherman Miles, of Battery F, had been placed in charge of the early work of loading provisions paying little attention to her lawyers or and supplies for the men and horses to the women friends who are standing from 7 o'clock this morning until the There were seven jurors in the box Brooke Fayne, of Battery E, reached when the trial was resumed today, and the scene, shortly after 10:30 o'clock, at a third panel of one hundred talesmen the head of the column of field pieces on hand, from which it was hoped to and armunition resumes of Bell pieces. which it was hoped to and ammunition wagons of Batteries E and F.

> and Captain Payne, aided by Lieutenant loading of the field pieces on the flat cars had been brought into the yards, David A. Amos, a Caldwell county phyand the horses were soon in them. The sician, today faced a jury in the Chrismen marched back through the snew to tian county circuit court on the charge

NEW YORK, March 8.—Amelia Bingham, the actress, has bought the Riverside Drive home of the late Joseph Jefferson for \$50,000.

Right, Capt. Brooke Payne, Commander of Troops From Fort Myer. At Bottom-Map of Territory Showing How Troops Are Being Stationed in War Maneuvers. PASTEURIZED PLANT | HINDU IMMIGRANTS | SEVEN-INCH SNOW CLOSES THIS WEEK

by Miss Reba Hurn,

Director.

The Nathan Straus Pastuerized Milk Laboratory, at 1319 H street, will be

This announcement was made today by Miss Reba Hurn, director of the laboratory, following receipt of a letter 4:30 when the special train bearing his from Mr. Straus authorizing this action, comrades pulls out. The pieces, horses, and provisions with Battery D were entropy of the demands for my work and means elsewhere." Mr. Straus said and means elsewhere," Mr. Straus said, ing the release of seventeen Hindus rained without further accident, and verything was in readiness several ours before the start.

Where Batteries E and F entrained, at this effect to Secretary MacVeagh, Surington laboratory and I have written to | Seattle. geon General Wyman, Health Officer Woodward, Senator Gallinger, and Representative Olcott."

It was the intention of Mr. Sraus to close the laboratory January 1, but in view of the campaign to make it a Government agency, the philanthropist de-cided to keep it opes pending action of Congress. The bill authorizing the Gov-ernment to take over the plant passed the Senate, but was snowed under by the pressure of business in the House Mr. Straus has ordered the plant to be kept intact for a time in case the ex-tra session of Congress may act on the

Alleged Night Rider Leader Goes Before Jury

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., March 8 .- Dr.

tell the board of trustees that he was done with the Rockefeller church. And the trustees were as quick to accept the resignation, which will go into effect on April 9, when Dr. Aked will have completed four years of service

B. R. Coles, Upnotsterer, Ph. M. 6516.

CAN REMAIN HERE | KEEPS PAXTON BUSY

Residing in the Philippines.

At Top-On Left, Gen. Nelson A. Miles Overseeing Loading of Baggage of Local Batteries Into Freight Train. At

Hindu immigrants from the Philippine Islands, where they had established residence under the War Department, in charge of the Philippine government, can not be deported from the United States, Secretary Nagel, of the Commerce and Labor Department, decided today in orderheld by the immigration officials at

The ground of detention was that they were liable to become public charges. The persons detained entered the Philippines at various dates, two of them were more than three years ago. Secretary Nagel holds that they are in

the same physical status as when they entered the islands. In the statement of the case he asserted that theer were only two ways in which protection could be secured against undesirable Hindu immigration, by looking to the authorities charged with the first investigation, and by additional legislation allowing the immigration authorities to pass upon upon aliens here independently of the government of the Philippines. He recommends that legislation.

Denies Being In Home of Former Police Official

Having entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of entering the house of Samuel H. Walker, former Superintendent of Police of this city, Mary Anderson, colored, was held on a bond of \$500 for the action of the grand jury in the United States branch of the Police Court this morn-

Mrs. Walker testified that she saw the woman in the house and that her cries for help brought a policeman, who arrested the intruder.

New Rate Schedules Filed By the Pennsy

The great struggle between the rail roads and shippers over the proposed filed new schedules, canceling its rate | 300 men on the streets at 4 o'clock. The

The New York Central, the Baltimore and Ohio, and the Erie promised they would follow suit within the next two

Third Son of Kaiser May

BERLIN, March &-Prince Adalbert, third son of the Kaiser, who is suffering rom appendicitis, was greatly improved

Superintendent Streets Begins Work at 5:30 o'Clock.

J. W. Paxton, the new Superintendent of Street Cleaning, was given an opportunity to "go to" his new job this morning, and as a result walked into his office at 9:45 o'clock, after having been personally on the streets since 5:30. "It's like Inauguration Day, and I haven't had any breakfast," was his comment.

By that time, though, Mr. Paxton already had at work twenty sidewalk plows and more than 200 men, and the prospects are that the city's streets will be in good shape by nightfall.

Fall of Seven Inches.

For a seven-inch snowfall at this time of the year, last night's winter flurry caused very little inconvenience. Trains to Union Station today were uniformly on their schedules and such slight delays as did occur were not occasioned

The absence of wind last night is credited with having been the reason that no damage was done the wires of the telegraph companies. The Postal wires are in good shape, and those of tion was ordered with Mexico's apthe Western Union are all right in every direction from here. West of Chicago, however, their service, while working, is going on with limited facilities.

The Weather Bureau experts do anticipate any greater snowfall at this time. This afternoon the snowfall ceased and tonight and tomorrow will be fair.

Mercury to Go Up. The mercury tomorrow will be higher than today, when, it is said, the coldest degrees for the twenty-four hours. The snowfall last night covered most

of the mountainous districts of Pennsylvania, southern Virginia, West Vir- Billions of investments are conceived duced as soon as possible ginia, and extended partly into Ohio. The storm center was off Cape Hat-Winds tonight will be northerly,

changing to variable winds. When the snow began to fall yester day, Superentendent Paxton made prepadvance in freight rates was ended to- arations for today, and so was enabled day when the Pennsylvania Railroad to have gangs aggregating more than

day, Superentendent Paxton made preparations for today, and so was enabled to have gangs aggregating more than 300 men on the streets at 4 o'clock. The morning was devoted principally to the operation of the sidewalk plows in the downtown sections.

After 12 o'clock today the gangs were put out to clear the gutters of the downtown and residential sections, and to remove the snow from the railway intersections. This work was not undertaken until afternoon, because the superintendent desired to give the citizens a chance to clean their pavements before the gutters were opened.

The snow was carted from the gutters dumped on the site of the old Pennsylvania station, and there allowed to melt.

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WHITE Yet Avoid An Operation taken until afternoon, because the su-

MEXICO APPROVES OF THE SENDING OF **AMERICAN TROOPS**

Vast Foreign Interests Factor in Sudden Determination to Make Demonstration.

DEMAND AT EXTRA SESSION FOR FACTS FROM ADMINISTRATION

Developements of the Day in Mexican Situation.

Intimations received from European governments that if United States does not maintain order in Mexico they will step in.

Extra session of Congress probably will be asked to duplicate Teller resolution, which declared American intentions in invading

Two billions of dollars of American capital said to be involved in the zone of possible strife.

Second battalion, Third Field Artillery, left Fort Myer today to join molibized forces in Texas. Private Hogan was thrown from horse and injured while troops were on way to Union Station.

Three companies of Coast Artillery were ordered from Fort Washington today, leaving Washington partly defenseless.

By JUDSON C. WELLIVER.

A powerful force of American troops is being massed on the Mexican frontier along the Rio Grande and to the west, and American battleships are hurrying to Gulf of Mexico waters under full steam

If American troops again cross the Rio Grande they will never return, according to the view generally entertained. It is widely accepted that the crossing of the border will be a step toward the annexation of the republic.

The events of the next few days probably will decide whether that

The army is hurrying to the Mexican border with all possible speed. Sensational stories are affoat, and every important capital of the world

is watching hourly developments. It is said that President Diaz, who for nearly a generation has stood for stability and security in Mexico, is in extremis. More than eighty

years old, he may relinquish the reins of government at any time. Whether he dies or not, his government is confronted with a most serious revolt against its authority.

European governments have intimated strongly to the United States that if Washington does not maintain order and security of property in Mexico, then it must relinquish that responsibility to governments willing to execute the work. The result of these intimations is that the United States is going to the front in force. The Monroe Doctrine is to be sus-

Right here the significance of the mobilization of troops is forcefully shown by the fact that Mexico was apprised of the plans before they were put into effect. Ambassador de la Barra, of Mexico, in Washington today, made a statement, saying he and his government had been consulted about the proposed "maneuvers," and that Meixco had approved

It is well known among diplomats and students of international law and custom that this means the maneuvers are not held for the purpose of giving the army and navy experience in emergency, though mimic, war. If any other evidence were lacking this would stamp the movement of troops what it undoubtedly is: A demonstration by the United States of a determination to preserve order in Mexico and to uphold the Monroe

NO PROTEST FROM MEXICO.

tain it would resent the mobilization Mexican movement. of such a large force of troops on its border. Protest would have been Teller resolution which declared registered within twenty-four hours. American intentions in invading But no protest has been made, and Cuba, will be presented very early in

tained at any cost.

temperature registered will be about 30 as the result of sales of vast oil properties to Standard Oil interests, is heading the revolution.

The old order sees its end ahead. to be menaced. The United States

must protect them.
That is why the troops and the fleet are hurrying to Mexico. What will be the end?
There can be no assurance that the demonstration of American force will awe the revolutionists. It is quite awe the revolutionists. It is quite as likely to encourage them, for their

If Mexico were at peace, of it its to secure from the Administration a revolution were not serious, it is cer- declaration of exact purpose in the

In all probability a duplicate of the

But no protest has been made, and today it developes that the mobilization was ordered with Mexico's approval.

Mexico faces the condition that has long been inevitable as a result of its policy, under Diaz, of encouraging the invasion of foreign capital, and of maintaining conditions which justified that movement.

Diaz has been the guarantee of security in Mexico. Diaz is passing. Madero, rich, influential, his coffers filled with treasure, which came to him as the result of sales of vast oil propas the result of sales of vast oil propast to the sales of the treasure of the United States. People who view with concern the possibility of annexing Mexico, and dividing it into a group of States which ultimately will be sending stand as this nation's pledge that Mexico is not to be made, at any time, a part of the United States. The propagation of the United States are anxious that guarantees be given to the world which will stand as this nation's pledge that Mexico is not to be made, at any time, a part of the United States. The propagation of the United States are propagation. at any time. It will become com-manding just as soon as Congress is in session with opportunity to con-sider measures that will be intro-duced as soons stated.

> Representative of this view of the situation is the declaration by Rep-(Continued on Sixth Page.)

Burleson Files Protest.

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